

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Roberto Luiz Bruno Pentecado

Application No. 09/854,859

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Examiner: Pulliam, Amy E.

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THEREOF), FOLIC ACID,
CYANOCOBALAMINE AND
PYRIDOXINE IN DIETETIC
(ALIMENTARY) FIBERS

PETITION FOR THREE-MONTH EXTENSION
OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

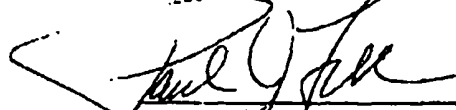
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Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 CFR §1.136(a), the undersigned attorney, on behalf of applicant(s), hereby petitions for a three-month extension of time to and including Friday, November 28, 2003, to file a response to the Final Office Action of May 28, 2003, which carried an original response date of Tuesday, October 28, 2003.

Please charge Deposit Account No. 12-1216 in the amount of \$950.00 for the three-month extension fee. Any additional fee which may be due or any other charges in connection with the submission of this Petition should be charged to Deposit Account No. 12-1216. A duplicate copy of this communication is enclosed for that purpose.

Respectfully submitted,



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